

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Applicant:

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Serial No. **10/574,037**

For: **INTER-CONVERTIBLE SINGLE  
PERSON TYPE TRANSPORTING  
AID**

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Examiner: **Restifo, Jeffrey J.**

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**Request For Continued Examination Under 37 C.F.R. 1.114  
and Amendment Thereunder**

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner of Patents  
Mail Stop Amendment  
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Dear Sir:

Applicant acknowledges receipt of the Final Office Action issued in the above identified application on November 30, 2009. Applicant requests a One-month Extension of Time to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Please charge the cost of the Request for Continued Examination and Extension of Time to Deposit Account No. 50-2346. Applicant appreciates the thorough review of the subject invention and the assessment of the cited prior art with respect to patentability.

Applicant hereby cancels claim 49 and substitutes therefore, claim 54, Claims 50 and 53 have been amended to conform to the added claim. Applicant has added claim 54 to overcome the Examiner's Final Rejection under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) based upon Fernie, et al (US 6,179,076) and Perry (US 5,366,036).